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Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 4th, 1877.

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One pair of good mules.
One good horse.
One nearly new buggy.
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GEO. T. STRONACH. O T I C E By virtue of a Mortgage on Real Estate and

By virtue of a Mortgage on Real Estate and Personal Property made to me by Eliza J. Baker and W. A. Baker, registered in book 44, page 22, Wake County Register, I will sell at public auction at the house of Eliza J. Baker, in Wake county, on Tuesday, January 16, 1877, such portion of Real Estate and Fersonal Property to cover said Mortgage. Terms cash. jan6-Dit J. L. JOHNSON.

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M. T. NORRIS.
W. A. MYATT, JR. Raleigh, Jan. 4th, 1877. E W F I R M

Notice to the Public!

I have this day purchased the interest of W. A. Myatt, in the firm of Norris & Myatt, and have associated with me J. A. Norris, of Apex, Wake county, and will continue to do business at the old stand of Norris & Myatt, where I shall be pleased to see my former patrons and constoners.

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FOUIT-Wanted. CLARK & BADGER-In bankruptey. GEO. T. STRONACH-Notice. J. L. JOHNSON-Notice. JOSIAH TURNER-\$100 reward.

LOCAL BRIEFS. ----Sleighing has played out.

----Another brilliant hop is on the

---Our market is now rather poorly supplied with meat.

-Spring races at the new fair grounds are still talked of. -There are rumors of a couple of

fashionable marriages afloat. -Bagatelle, billiards and keno now bloom in pristine beauty and vigor. .

-The birds and rabbits are reported to be freezing and starving to death. -The "tiger" hath roared in our midst recently and many are the penitent victims

---To-morrow is Epiphany and there will be services at the Catholic and Episcopalian Churches in the evening. -Quiltings are now all the go, in the

country. Two are to take place tonight within a few miles of the city. -It is a matter of genuine regret to us that our exchange list is not large enough to supply the wants of all our

friends.

----We are glad to see that the committees of the Young Men's Christian Association are active in their good -Mr. Wynne is rapidly growing

better. He has passed the critical period, and it is hoped that he will spon

---- Mr. Secretary of State Engelhard has selected Capt. Guilford S. Dudley, of Wilmington, as chief clerk in his department. --- The Christ Church christmas

people enjoyed the occasion greatly, and the larger ones hardly less. -There is an universal demand that the ladies and gentlemen who have so successfully rendered "Our American

Cousin," shall repeat their performance. ----We understand from passengers by the Raleigh & Gaston train, that on Thursday people were walking clear across the Roanoke River, at Gaston, on the ice.

--- There are vet four counties in arrears in the settlement of their taxes. Pender and Bladen have made no show of settling, and Bertie and Stokes have settled only partially.

-Rev. W. G. Clements, of Morrisville, was examined yesterday by the board of county examiners, and awarded a certificate which allows him to

teach a public school of the first grade. --- Much credit is due to the police for their efforts to suppress the foolists stampede which was about to occur in Metropolitan Hall, Thursday night, on account of a fire at least three-quarters of a mile away.

---There has been a dearth of amusements this winter in Raleigh. This is mainly owing to the high tax imposed. It is to be hoped that the present Legislature will reduce the tax

in the forthcoming revenue bill. -After the snow, Christmas, new years, the mauguration, the re-assembling of the Legislature and all, a man who had never failed from the 7th of November to the 24th of December, came up yesterday, smiling, and in quired if there was any news from Tilden. He was kicked down the steps with promptness.

Boarding at the Yarbrough. Gov. Vance and his family, Lieut. Gov. Jarvis and his family, Secretary of State, Engelhard and family Btate Treasurer Worth and son, Attorney General Kenan and family and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, are among the boarders at the Yar-

brough House. Your (11) 11111 Remember the Poor. In this season of excessive cold, we hope our citizens will remember the urgent need of the deserving poor. The Young Mens' Christian Association is now doing an active, careful work, and have no doubt been the means of preventing extreme suffering in many instances. In one case brought to our notice, a worthy woman, advanced in years, who has only a helpless son in her family, had to burn parts of her scanty furniture to keep from freezing? The committee of the association is now waiting on citizens, and we suggest to any who have not been called on, to leave their contribution with the treasurer, Mr. W. S. Primrose, at the State National Bank, who will see that they are promptly reported to the commit-

#### GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

SESSION OF 1876-77.

SENATE.

FRIDAY, Jan. 5th. The Smale was rated an order to

the chair. The journal of vesterday was read and approved. Senator Liles was allowed to change his vote from the negative to the affirmative on the bill regarding divorce, which was under advisement yester-

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE informing the Senate of the passage of resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Dr. P. M. Winchest

Also a message infond to re. e Senate of the adoption of amendments to certain Senate bills, and asking concurrence in said amendments. BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS. By Senator Liles: A bill to be enti-tled to section establish the disciplinary

rights of secret benevolent associations Judiciary committee. By Senator York: A bill to incorporate the Wilkes Valley Railroad. Internal improvements.

By Senator Sandifer: A bill to amend the acts of 1872-'73, chartering the town of Dallas. Corporations.

By Senator Dortch: A bill in relation to the draining of lands. Judici-

LEAVES OF ABSENCE. Senator Robinson asked and obtained eave of absence for himself for to-day, in order that he might transact certain business in connection with the Western North Carolina Railroad, he having been one of the parties authorized by the Legislature to purchase said road for the State.

Senator Finger asked and obtained leave of absence for Senator Mebane, of Rockingham, on account of indisposi-

The Senate resolution regarding appropriations for Confederate soldiers who lost their eyes in the service, was taken up, with the House amendments. [The amendments propose to strike out "both eyes" and insert "who have lost their entire eyesight," and provide that applicants shall prove before the Clerk of the Superior Court of their respective counties that they lost their sight while actually in the Confederate service and acting as North Carolina soldiers.] The amendments were, upon motion, concurred in.

CALENDAR. The act to incorp wate the Milton and Sutherlin Narrow Gauge Railroad Company, and authorizing certain men to pen books of subscription in behalf of said road under certain restrictions, came up on its second reading.
Senator Cunningham stated the good

that was expected to result from the building of this road, and urged its passtree was a beautiful affair. The little age. The bill passed its second reading, and under a suspension of the rules was put upon its third reading, which it

passed—ives 42 noes none. Ordered

tobe engreenistic segregate House MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE, informing the Senate of the passage of a resolution in regard to the burial expenses of Dr. P. M. Winchester. Read irst time and placed on calendar. Senator Moore, of Mecklenburg, from

the committee on enrolled bills, reported number of bills as correctly enrolled. CALENDAR RESUMED. H. B. 14, S. B. 176 to incorporate the

Richmond, came up on its second reading, and on motion of Senator Short, the Senate gave it consideration.

Senator Moore, of Mecklenburg, offered an amendment, providing that no spirituous or malt liquors shall be sold within three miles of the corporate limits of the town, which amendment was

The bill passed its second reading, and by the third reading Senator Sandifer offered an amendment providing that the question of the sile of Iquor shall be authorized, praviding a majority of the citizens shall so vote.

Senator Moore, of Mecklenburg, of posed the amendment, as tending to defeat the purpose of the act of incorporation, as did also Senator Short. Senator Sandifer spoke in favor of the amendment. The vote being taken

t was not adopted. The question then recurred upon the passage of the bill on its third reading and it passed—aves 32, noes 5.
Senator Dortch, from the committee

on banks and currency; and Senator Stewart, from the judiciary committee, Submitted reports.

By Senator Moore, of New Hanover: A bill to incorporate the Independent Order No. 2 Grand Lodge of the Order of Good

Samaritans and Daughters of Samaria in America, of the State of North Carolina. Propositions and grievances.

A message was received from the House announcing that it had passed a resolution of inquiry respecting election returns, and has ordered the same to be sent to the Senate and asks, its concur-

ence. Bill to make gold and silver legal tender, reported upon adversely by the committee on banks and currency, came up on its second reading. Senator Sandifer moved to indefinite-

y postpone.
Senator Johnston, the introducer of Senator Johnston, the introduced the bill, spoke at some length in advocacy of the passage of the bill.

Senator Dortell sustained the action Senator Sciulifer, Graham and Binger; also took part in

The question recarred upon the mo tion of Senator Sandifer, to indefinitely postpone, and it was adopted.

By Senator Einger, by cousent: A bill for the relief of Geo. W. Cansler, of Catawba, convicted, of extortion in Upon motion of Senator Cunningham, ac bill to incorporate the Milton & tions and grievand

the bill to incorporate the Sutherlin Railroad, was ordered to be Sutherlin Railroad, was ordered to be sed and sent to the Senate. House resolution asking the 18tz Treasurer to furnish the General Asset bly with the amount of money pa sheriffs for bringing election returns sheriffs for bringing election returns to the capital, was taken up and adopted. Senator Waddell, from the committee on engrossed bills, submitted a report. Bill to be entitled an act to punish

ssault with a deadly weapon. Passed Bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the tax-payers of North Carolina. [Proposes to extend until January 1st, 1878, the time for the redemption of lands sold for taxes.] The bill was, upon motion of Senator Latham, indefinitely

postponed.

Bill to amend the act to charter the town of Dallas, cases up on its second reading. [Proposes to change the corporate limits from 1 of a mile each way from the Court House, to 1 mile each

way.]
The bill passed its second reading, came up on its third reading under a suspension of the rules, and was passed—ayes, 38; noes, none.
Senator Ferguson moved to reconsider
the vote by which the bill for the select
of tax-payers was indefinitely postponed, and the motion was adopted.

Senator Ferguson offered an amend ment allowing persons whose lands had been sold for taxes and purchased by the State, to redeem said lands, but not allowing the provisions of the bill the extend to lands so sold and purchase by private individuals:

Senator Ferguson favored the amendment and Senator Latham opposed it.

The amendment was adopted, with the proviso by Senator Troy, that the tiefe to said lands is still in the State, they not having been entered and paid for by other parties. The question recurred toon the passage of the bill on its third reading, and

The Senate then, upon motion of Senator Scales, adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

At 10 A. M., Mr. Speaker Price called the House to order.

Journal of year Als, &c. via the sale of liquor wo miles of Waynesville Acade eferred to the committee or

tions and grievances.

owland presented a petition to
prohibit the sale of liquor within three niles of Iona Church, Robeson county. Referred to the committee on proposiions and grievances.

Mr. Yount presented a petition for the incorporation of the town of Canova, Catawba county. Referred to the committee on corporations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES. Mr. Shackelford, from the committee on engrossed bills; Mr. McLean, from the committee on claims; Mr. Henderson, from the committee on corporations: Mr. Gudger, from the committee on propositions and grievances; Mr. Me Gehee, from the committee on finance Mr. Staples, from the judiciary committee, submitted reports.

RESOLUTIONS AND BILLS. By Mr. Davis, of Haywood: A bil to prohibit the sale of liquor within ten miles of Waynesville Academy. Committee on propositions and grievances
By Mr. Yount: A bill to incorporate the town of Canova, Catawba county

By Mr. Fennell: A bill to amend the act to prevent the destruction of fish in the waters of Black River and Six Runs, in the counties of New Hanover, Pender, Sampson, Cumberland and Harnett. Committee on proposi tions and grievanees.

CALENDAR. The bill to extend the time of J. B. McPherson, tax-collector of Pender county, was taken up, and on motion of The bill to repeal the act to regulate the rate of interest, (usury law,) was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Mc-

Clure, referred to the judiciary commit A bill to the same effect was referred

The bill for the relief of the tax-pay ers of Carteret county was taken u On motion of Mr. Bagley the resolu tion appropriating a sum sufficient to pay the burial expenses of the late P. W. Winchester, was taken up and W. Winchester, was taken up and passed its several readings.

By consent Mr. Parish introduced a

bill to extend the charters of certain banks, which was placed on the calen-By Mr. Bagley: Abill to incorporate Albemarle Lodge, I. O. O. F., Hertford,

N. C., placed on the calendar, The bill to amend Battle's Revisal in relation to jurors, was taken up and, on motion of Mr. Todd, of Ashe, laid on the table.

The bill to amend section 9, chapter 69, Battle's Revisal, was taken up and, on motion of Mr. McBrayer, laid on the The bill to require the Secretary of

State to perfect land grants by the insertion of the number of tract, and to empower Registers of Deeds to do the same in certain cases, was taken up and laid on the table. By Mr. McRea: A bill to amend the

act incorporating the town of Sboe Heel, Robeson county. Committee on corpo-The bill for the relief of the late sheriff of Polk county, was taken up and, on motion of Mr. McCubbins laid on the

The bill for the relief of tax-payers of Wake county was taken up, [allows the redemption of property sold for taxes under conditions of the law though the time specified has passed,

The bill passed its second reading. Resolution in favor of the NEWS Publishing Company was taken up and passed its several readings.

Resolution in favor of R. W. Hardie

sheriff of Cumberland county, was taken up and laid on the table. Resolution in favor of Josiah Turner was taken up and laid on the table. On motion of Mr. McGehee, the Senate bill to authorize the town of Milton to subscribe \$10,000 to the capital stock to the Milton and Sutherlin Narrow Guage Railroad, was taken up and passed its second reading by a vote of yeas

82; nays 1.

Judge David Barnes appeared in the lobby and was on motion of Mr. Pinnix, invited to a seat on the floor. The resolution of inquiry in relation to election returns was taken up and

On petion of Mr. Bagley, the bill to incorporate Albemarle Lodge, No. 74, I. O. O. F., Hertford, N. C., was taken up and passed its second reading. Senate bill to make Cashie river, Bertie county, a lawful fence was taken up and passed its third reading. The memorial of certain physicians of

the State asking the passage of a law by which they can collect their dues was read and referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

SPECIAL ORDER The bill to take the government of the Insane Asylum from the present Board of Supervisors and give it to a Board of 15 Trustees, who shall exercise all the powers of the present Board of Super-visors, was taken up as the special order of the hour.

Mr. Moring moved to refer to the judiciary committee. Adopted,
The bill to amend section 26, chapter
22 Battle's Revisal, was taken up and

The bill to fix the trial of civil cause before Justices of the Peace, was taken up and laid on the table. The bill to amend chapter 3 section 52 Battle's Revisal, was taken up, a substitute reported by the judiciary committee was adopted, and the bill passed its second reading.

Resolution in favor of W. H. Hearne,

shariff of Stanly county, was taken up and laid on the table.

Bill to repeal chapter 90, laws of 1874'75, was taken up and laid on the ta-

By Mr. Moring: A bill in regard to averments in bills of indictment in re-gard to coin and bank notes. Judiciary

Bill to amend chapter 136, private laws of 1878-'74, was taken up and passed its several readings.

Bill to incorporate the Kinston Collegiate Institute, was taken up and passed its several readings. By Mr. Moring: A bill to amend section 2, chapter 105, Battle's Revisal.

Committee on propositions and griev-

Bill to incorporate Bellevue Cemetery Company, Wilmington, was taken up and passed its several readings.

Mr. McIver, of Moore, was announced at having been unavoidably detained from his seat until to-day.

Resolution giving Hon. Thomas Settle \$50 for his services in organizing the late Constitutional Convention was to

late Constitutional Convention, was taken up and passed its several readings Resolution in favor of Thomas Hamp son, allowing him \$20 dollars for tabulating the returns of the election in the office of the Secretary of State was taken up and rejected.

Adjourned. Mayor's Court. The Court of His Honor, the Mayor,

was rather lively yesterday. A large crowd was in attendance on account of the expected trial of the case of Adeline Durett, better known in this city as Madame Durett, for living with one J. W. Hawkins in a mariner prohibited by law. The Mayor bound both parties over to court in a bond of \$200 each,

Joseph Hervey, col., was arraigned on the charge of stealing \$2 from the pocket of G. B. Sondly, at the Central Hotel, yesterday morning. The evidence was not sufficient to convict and the defendant was discharged.

The Story of a Watch. We mentioned the other day that a watch which was lost at Tucker Hall on inauguration day by a young lady from Salisbury, was recovered the day subsequent, through the instrumentalitwof an advertisement in the NEWS. The young lady to whom the watch belonged, is a daughter of Capt. W. H. Crawford, the Senator from Rowan and Davie, and to him the man into whose ossession the watch had come, carried t. The man said he was from New York, and claimed that he had picked the watch up on the steps of the hall. Still there was no mark or indentation on the watch to indicate that it had been trampled upon, as it must have been if it had fallen upon the steps, while the chain gave evidence of having been cut apart. The man was given over to the police but there being no positive evidence against him he was subsequently released and was paid \$15 for the finding of the watch, for which amount he gave a receipt, acknowledg-

ing his satisfaction. Superior Court. Court met yesterday morning at 10

clock. The following cases were disposed of: State and Rufus Whitaker vs Thomas Gooch, peace warrant; dismissed at cost of defendant.

State vs Patrick Lacy, col., larceny; verdict not guilty. State vs Henry Hicks, col., assault and pattery; guilty and judgment reserved. State vs Rachael LeGrand, col., arson. Solicitor Harris for the prosecution and E. G. Haywood for the defense. Ver-

diet not guilty. State vs Rufus Gill, larceny; verdict guilty and judgment reserved. State vs Samuel Yancey, assault and

pattery; nol pros. The grand jury came into court and eturned several bills as true and not true, mong the former one for the murder of Phillip McGowan by Joel McCrary. The court adjourned until this morn

ing at 10 o'clock.

A New Teacher. Prof. Greenwood, late of Hampton, Va., is now with the Raleigh Silver Cornet Band, instructing the members. He bears the reputation of an accomplished musician, and it is very certain that the and has improved very much of late-The members play astonishingly well, onsidering the short length of time during which they have been reorganized, and with a little more careful practice and training, will reach the standard of a first-class band.

Dried peaches, apples, maccaroni, roasted coffee 30 cents per fb., roasted and ground coffee 25 cents per fb., and Woollcott's open front store.

Meeting of the Board of Aidermen. The board met last night at the Mayor's office, in regular monthly session.

Present: His Honor the Mayor, and Aldermen Anderson, Adams, Bradley, Carmer, Cooke, Flemming, Green, Jones, Lumsden, Murray, Pescud, Sanders, Upchurch and Williams. The minutes of the last regular meet-

ing and of the special meetings since then, were read and approved. Alderman Jones moved that fines imposed at the last special meeting upon aldermen for non-attendance, be remit-

ted, and the motion was adopted. The finance committee submitted reports of the pay-rolls of the chief of police and the street commissioner for the month of December. The pay-roll of the former amounted to \$1,341.05, and that of the street commissioner

\$443.53. Adopted. Justice of the Peace Sorrell was allowed \$10 for swearing in the members of

the present Board of Aldermen. The finance committee made a report concerning the insurance of the Market House building, which was adopted. A number of bills passed upon by the

inance committee were approved. Alderman Jones, from a special comnittee, reported comparative cost of the city government for six months of 1875

Upon motion of Alderman Anderson the committee was continued and 100 copies of its report ordered to be printed. The committee heretofore appointed to take into consideration proposed changes in the city charter, and make a draft of the changes and amendments desired, came before the board asking instructions as to how certain contin-

gencies should be provided for. The matter was laid over and the committee continued. On motion of Alderman Bradley

Sampson Anderson was elected by acclamation sexton of the colored ceme Alderman Anderson was, upon me tion, added to the committee on the city

charter. Thos. Donaldson submitted a con munication stating that he had overpaid \$8 25 restaurant tax, and asking to be reimbursed.

Upon motion the matter was referred

to the city clerk with power to act. A petition for license to conduct the staurant business was n Bashford & Doran and granted. A report was submitted by the As sistant Chief of Police, setting forth that in accordance with instructions of the board he had rented the market stalls on

names were given and at figures set opposite thereto. Alderman Adams moved that \$200 be allowed as the limit to be paid for street

work during the coming month. Upon motion of Alderman Flemmin the matter was laid upon the table. The question of the rent or removal of the lot for the city stables was, upon motion, referred to special committee consisting of Alderman Adams, Cook, Lumsden, Murray and Flemming, with

power to act; such committee also to have control of the city scales. The members of the street committee -Aldermen Armstrong, Sanders, Carmer, Green and Jones-tendered their resignations individually as members of

said committee. A motion to lay on the table was reiected. The question recurred upon the mo tion to accept the resignations of the

members of the street committee, and it was adopted. Alderman Jones moved that the board elect the street committee, and that mo-

tion was adopted. The election of a street committee was then gone into, and the following Aldermen were elected: Alderman Adams, from the first ward; Alderman Cooke, from the second; Alderman Pescud, from the third; Alderman Mur-

ray, from the fourth; and Alderman Williams, from the fifth. Alderman Upchurch was, upon motion, elected a member of the finance committee from the first ward, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resigna-

tion of Alderman Adams. The board then upon motion adjourn-

The Southern Underwriters' Associa-This company, at its regular annual meeting held day before yesterday, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, R. W. Best, Esq.; Treasurer, Dr. Geo. W. Blacknall; Secretary, E. E. Gray, Esq. We are told that this company has issued 1800 policies since April last, and its losses we understand have been small.

First Quarterly Conference. Rev. N. H. D. Wilson, D. D., is in the city, and is the guest of Rev. Dr. Burkhead. Dr. Wilson is the Presiding Elder of the Raleigh district, and is here to hold the first quarterly meeting for the Edenton Street Church for the year 1877. He will preach to-day at 11 o'clock a. m.: also to-morrow at 11 a. m., and at 7 p. m.

Fresh Hechlers sausage, choice cuts of beef steak and pork steak that will make your mouth water, at T. J. Walker's bakery and family grocery, Wil-mington street. Also fine lot of toilet and laundry soaps, onions, Irish potatoes, oranges, lemons, figs, new raisons prunes, &c., all cheap for cash.

JUDGE WATTS RESIGNS.

A Purpose for Some Time Enter-tained," Samuel W. Watts, the Judge of the Superior Court of this (the 6th) judicial district, on yesterday tendered to the Governor his resignation of his office. The letter of resignation is as follows:

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 5, 1877.

To His Excellency Z. B. Vance, Governor of North Carolina, Raleigh: In fulfillment of a purpose for some time entertained and often expressed, I hereby tender my resignation of the office of Judge of the sixth judicial district of North Carolina, to take effect on the 1st day of Febuary, 1877, and re-

spectfully request its acceptance.

I have the honor to be Very respectfully, your obe't ser'vt.:

Gov. Vance immediately accepted the resignation, the same to take effect on the day indicated. Speculation is rife as to who will be appointed to fill the vacancy, but as yet Gov. Vance has given no manifestation of his pupose in the premises. The indications, however, point to General W. R. Cox, and public opinion has about settled upon

him as the probable appointee.

The Week of Prayer for 1877. Next week is the week of prayer appointed by the Evangelical Alliance. The call for the observance of the week is signed by members representing England, Scotland, Ireland, United States, Canada, France, Belgium, Switzerland, Germany, Holland, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Italy, Turkey, Greece and Syria. The following topics are suggested as suitable subjects for exhortation and intercession on the

successive days of meeting: Sunday, January 7: Sermons-Christtian Fellowship, (1 John 1: 7). Monday, 8: Thanksgiving and Confession in view of the past year.

Tuesday, 9: Prayer for the Universal Chnrch; for its increase of faith, activity, holiness and Christian charity. Wednesday, 10: Prayer for Families for the unconverted; for sons and daughters abroad; for those in sich ness, trouble or temptation; and those who have been recently "added

Thursday, 11: Prayer for Nations rulers, magistrates, statesmen; for phil anthropic and benevolent institutions for a pure literature, and the spread of Friday, 12: Prayer for Home and

the church."

Foreign Missions, (Luke 24: 37). Saturday, 13: Prayer for the Holy Spirit, (Joel 2: 28). Sunday, 15: Sermons-One Lord, one

faith, one baptism, one God and Father the 1st of January to parties whose of all, (Eph, 4: 5, 6). We are glad to learn that the committees of the different churches have arranged for the observance of this week of prayer in this city by union prayer meetings in several of our churches, and all who feel a desire to attend are cordially invited to do so, and thus unite with God's people throughout the world in supplicating comm in blessings. The

meetings will be held in the following order: Monday evening, 7 o'clock, Presby

terian Church. . Tuesday evening, 7 o'clock, Salisbury Street Baptist Church. Wednesday evening, 7 o'clock, Eden-

ton Street Methodist Church. Thursday evening, 7 o'clock, Swain Street Baptist Church. Friday evening, 7 o'clock, Person Street Methodist Church.

Saturday evening, 7 o'clock, Presby byterian Church. The services in each church will be conducted by the pastor of such church, and addresses may be expected each night by the ministers and lay members of the different churches. The "Gospel

Songs," by Moody and Sankey, will be used for the singing. Supreme Court.

Judge Reade heard, yesterday, in the office of the Supreme Court, arguments in the case of Richard B. Jones, Charles H. Cole and Andrew Williams, commissioners of the county of Granville, who were committed to jail by Judge Watts and fined \$250 each for contempt of his court. The commissioners sued out writs of habeas corpus before Judge Reade, of the Supreme Court bench, and they were made returnable in this city yesterday. The whole day was occupied in the hearing of the cases. Messrs, L. C. Edwards and Joseph B. Batchelor appeared for the plaintiffs. and Messrs. Merrimon, Fuller & Ashe

for the commissioners. The papers were handed up, and Judge Reade, after consultation with the other justices, stated that the more regular way would have been to bring the case before the court upon a petition for certiorari, as one of the counsel had indicated. The court will hear the petition this morning at 10 o'clock, and will be prepared to set upon the arguments already submitted, unless the counsel desire to argue further. It is believed that Judge Reade will hold that the prisoners are entitled to their

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#### 1877.

### A Year of Momentous Political Events.

Prospectus of the Raleigh News

Momentous events are thronging to the front. Two political parties of the country are marshaling their intellectual forces for the constitutional battle, on which bangs the fate of the government or the ensuing four years, perhaps for all the time. From now until the 4th of March the republic will be the theatre of a drama more thrilling in interest than any before enacted in America, to be followed, in all probability, by a period of the profoundest concern to all our people Some predict a terrible of arms, but whether or not war results from the turbulent condition of the public mind, it is certain that the year 1877 will see thick crowding occurences of great moment.

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JUDGE WATTS did not wait for the broom of reform to reach him

THERE was spicy debate in Congress yesterday. See telegraphic columns.

JUDGE Schenck will hold the extra term of the Superior Caurt of this county. The bar of Raleigh may prepare for rapid work; for Judge Schenck is coming to clear the docket.

WE find the following interesting paragraph in the Washington Union: Mount Pleasant, the chief of the Tuscarora

Mount Pleasant, the chief of the Tuscarora ribe of Indians, who are settled on a reservation in the western part of Niagara county, in New York, says that certain papers supposed to be lost have recently been found which entitle the tribe to the State of North Carolina and 1,500,000 acres of land in Kansas. The chief has accordingly put in a claim against the Government.

THE Charlotte Observer says that by the new arrangement for the rotation of judges, the people of the 9th Judicial dicial district are to have Judge Cloud, then Judge Kerr, then Judge Watts. With this issue of the News the glad tidings of Judge Watts' resignation will reach the Observer, and relieve its anxiety.

THE Atlanta Constitution compares the inaugural address of Gov. Vance and Gov. Robinson. It says the utterances of these two men constitute "an admirable platform for the patriots of whatever party," and that in this crisis we need no better guide than these official expressions. In one speech Gov. Vance has, "as the mouth-piece of of a million people," placed North Carolina in the true position as to the Presidential difficulty. The firmness and prudence and broad statesmanship of his inaugural, is universally commended and admire !.

GEN. COX FOR JUDGE.

It is now definitely known that Judge Samuel W. Watts has tendered his resignation as Judge of the 6th judicial district. This is one of the first glorious fruits of our victory; and we congratulate the country. Few other events could give our people greater joy.

The next question is, who is to fill the vacancy? There are many worthy the honor, but as a chronicler of public opinion we are satisfied that the people of this district are very desirous that General William R. Cox should be his successor, as intimated by our correspondent this morning.

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JUDGE MEREDITH' LETTER.

The question of who shall count the vote for President and Vice President and how it shall be counted, still agitates the minds and puzzles the brains of the most astute in all parts of the country. It has become as complex as the red tape process in Dickens' circumlocution office, or the collection of the beef contract by Mark Twain's ancestors.

Among the many who have attempted solution of the vexed question is Judge Meridith, of Virginia. He has written a letter to the Richmond Dispatch which, it seems to us, throws much true light on the subject, clearly demonstrating that the manner of counting the vote in the first Presidential election, that of Washington, was adopted under the exigencies of the case—the constitution then not having gone into effect and, of course, no laws having been enacted to carry out its provisionsand cannot be considered a precedent

for any occasion of the kind since. We think this letter of Judge Meredith will have considerable influence in unravelling the knotty point, as it furnishes convincing arguments for our Congress

The position taken by Gov. Vance in his inaugural address, in regard to the attitude occupied by the State on the subject of national affairs, especially the critical question of the Presidency, is receiving the highest eulogiums of the conservative press throughout the North and South. It has made a deeper impression than any other inaugural delivered this year by any of the new Governors. It is without fleck or flaw-and gives universal satisfaction-carpet-baggers excepted.

# A FEW THINGS SEITLED.

The stand taken by Senator Conkling upon the Presidential question practically destroys the Republican conspiracy to seat Haves whether or no. It requires nine votes in the Senate to prevent the consummation of the original plot formed by Chandler and Morton. It is understood that the Auburnian statesman has influence enough in the Senate to carry at least this number of votes with him, in his opposition to the revolutionary measures proposed by the extremists. So that the appeal of Mr. Conkling for patriotic and lawful action, and his boldly enunciated purpose to stand on truth and right, upholding the Constitution and condemning falsehood and wrong, settles some of the most important questions connected with the vexed problem, and must strengthen the growing confidence of the country in the peaceful inauguration of Mr. Tilden.

We may now consider these things as already settled :

Ist. The president of the Senate will not of his own motion assume the responsibility of deciding in regard to the validity of the returns from any State which come to him in the customary form. Where he has received two sets of returns from any State, he will open them both in the joint convention and announce the fact of their reception, calling attention to any marks that either may bear which will assist to identify it as the genuine and legal return. For instance if one is certifled by the Governor of the State and bears its broad seal, while the other is signed by some other person, that fact will be remarked when the packages are opened. But the President of the Senate will not even then decide which return should be counted, if either, unless that power is expressly conferred on him in advance.

That power of course will not be conferred upon him, 2d. The vote will not be counted by the President of the Senate. The Senate in the absence of any rules, will follow the best established precedents where the constitution and laws are silent, and the House and the Senate will not agree to entrust the acting Vice-President with this power. It is not believed that a resolution could be passed by the Senate, in its present temper conferring upon its President the right to count the vote, The Democrats would oppose it unanimously, and would debate it until the 14th of February if they could not defeat it in any other way. There is trustworthy information also that a number of the most influential Republican Senators will oppose such a solution of the difficulty if

done in times past, and that they will

not be simply spectators of an act per-

it is proposed, and that there are enough of them with the Democrats to make a majority of the body. From all that we get employment elsewhere. can gather as to the present outlook we are forced to believe that the two Houses of Congress will participate in the counting of the vote as they have

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nt. No President the House of Repres

it is done efore the 4th of 1877. If no President has been chosen on that day the President of the Senate will be inaugurated and will serve until a new election can be held. The 14th article of amendments to the Constitution is so explicit on this point there can be no difference of opinion in

regard to it. 4th. The vote of the State will be rejected without the concurrence of both Houses of Congress. Neither House has ever exercised the power of throwing out the electoral vote of a State without

the consent of the other. 5th. The genuine official returns of the three contested Southern States will be received as prima facie evidence of how the votes of those States ought to be counted; but they will not be considered as final proof. In other words. both Houses will agree to go behind the official returns and decide from other evidence which return, if either, ought

to be counted in either case. 6th. No questions either of law or fact will be submitted to the Supreme court for its decision. Neither party can show much disposition to submit to that tribunal any of the questions over which Congress has jurisdiction.

7th. The Democrats will not get their missing vote from Oregon. Some of the Democrats still cling to the theory that Cronin's organization of the Electoral College of that State was legal, but the ground now held by the more conserva-tive of them is that no election took place in Oregon, except as to the choice of two Electors.

8th. The House of Representatives will not of itself declare that there has been no election of President, and proceed to choose one. The right of the House to elect a President is contingent on the failure of a choice by the Electo s, and while the question whether the Electors have succeeded or not remains open, a vote by the House would be unconstitution, illegal and void.

The most authentic information which we can gather from public and private sources, leads us to the conclusions above expressed; and we are quite sure that, notwithstanding the wild and extreme talk of reckless politicians of both sides, each House will finally be careful to take no positive step for which there is not at least the color of sanction in the constitution, the laws, or well-establishel precedent; and a peaceable solution ef the problem may be confidently look. el for in the end.

#### POLITICAL NOTES.

In the special election to fill the va-Ely to be Mayor of New York, David Dudley Field, Democratic candidate for Congress, has 3,449 majority.

An exchange says: "The country is going to the dogs," which means that the Radicals are about to get it again. Let us hope not. Avery seems to be flirting with Bab-cock, and Bab, is on pins. He is afraid

Avery will endeavor to "vindicate" Kellogg has declined to receive any

ommunications from the Democratic legislature. Where is Nicholls? The Inter-Ocean thus sums up the

Senate after the fourth of March: If Illinois sends a Republican, and New Jersey a Democrat, if Lamar and Grover and Corbin are admitted; if two Republicans come from Louisiana, the Senate will stand Democrats 35, Republicans 41. If Louisiana sends two Democrats, and Corbin is not admitted it will stand 38 to 38—a tie. It now appears that General Frank

Blair never advised the use of the army in the South for the purpose of overthrowing the carpet-bag governments and to that extent he was misrepresent ed by Grant in his recent talk with an associated press reporter. It would appear from this that the President is getting to be quite a politician.

# PERSONAL

Mr. Washburne, in Paris, entertains less than any Minister the United States has ever had in that city.

Janauschek.-This celebrated artist commences an enga rement at the theat-Richmond Monday night next

General Kilpatrick's mother has just died and left so large an estate that it will take all his time to attend to it; so

he won't lecture any more. Sir Henry De Houghton, the wealthy wealthy English baronet whose sympathies with the Southern Confederacy were strong enough to induce him to "invest" £300,000 in rebel bonds, has

#### lately deceased. NORTH CAROLINA.

Whilst all the country around has been blessed or cursed with frequent snows, Wilmington has been exempt. Factory Burned.—We learn that Murchison's factory at Manchester was

destroyed by fire this morning about 3 o'clock-partially insured. Three runaway sleigh teams in Fay-

etteville Tuesday—sleighs broken horses of one sleigh hurt, Seven negroes were arrested in Fay-

etteville a few days ago, for stealing cot ton from Rev, D. D. McBride and all committed to jail, Standard Trans The weight of the snow crushed in

Farmer's house shed at Durham. The burning of the Little River cot ton factory, near Fayetteville, on Wednesday morning was a serious disaster not only to the proprietors but to the large number of operators employed in it, who are thrown out of employment at this inclement season. We learn from the Gazette that the proprietors will feed the operatives until they san

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#### THE LATE DR. WINCHESTER.

Owing to the pressure upon our columns it was impossible to incorporate into our proceedings of the House of Representatives of Thursday, the full proceedings in regard to the decease of the late Dr. P. M. Winchester, member from Rockingham county. We now give the full text of the resolutions of respect and the remarks of several gentlemen thereon. These are the resolutions

WHEREAS. Since the convening of the present session of the General Assembly, Dr. P. M. Winchester, an able and efficient member of the House of Representatives from the county of Rockingham, has been stricken by the hand of death, whilst in the faithful discharge of the daties of his office, and whereas, it is meet and proper that this House, of which he was a member, should pay the fullest respect to the of one who occupied so exalted a position in the esteem of his fellowmembers, on account of his many virtues: Therefore be it resolved by the Honse of Representatives, that in the death of the late Dr. P. M. Winchester, the county of Rockingham and the State of North Carolina, have lost a faithful public servant of this House, a member who stood ready at all times to further by his efforts the welfare and prosperity of his country.

dred, that we recognize in the deceased a man, whose character was free from stain or reproach, and whose private life was distinguished by his honesty, integrity and uprightness.

that these resolutions be spread upon the journal of this House and that the Speaker be, and he is hereby requested to transmit to the widow and family of the deceased a copy of the same, with an expression of heartfelt sympathy and condolence in their great Resolved, that as a token of respect to

the deceased, the House of Representatives do now adjourn.

Mr. Pinnix, the introducer of the resolutions took the floor and said:

MR. SPEAKER:-Out of respect to the deceased I offer the resolutions which I am sure will receive the unanimous vote of the entire House. When we met in this hall on the 20th November last the deceased appeared as the honored repingham, And well was he fitted for position which a confiding people had placed him in. In the full enjoyment of health he bid fair, to all appearances, to live a long and useful life—to live to enjoy the full fruition of his labor and zeal in the interest of his people. But the cold and icy hand of death came in our midst and bore off, in an hour one whom we all-loved to meet in social intercourse and one whose honesty of purpose and uprightness of character challenged the admiration of the wise and good. it is natural for mankind, in an hour of such solemnity as surround us, to pause and reflect how uncertain is the tenure we have upon this life. Mr. Speaker, I will give way to those who can, and I know will pay a more fitting tribute to the deceased than I am able to

Mr. Dillard, colleague of the deceased. said :

MR. SPEAKER :- Since our adjournment the hand of Providence has been laid upon one of our members. His seat has been made vacant by the cold and ev arm of death. It is a sad visitation of Providence, both to his family, and friends, and to this General Assembly. He has been summoned from his duties here to a tribunal on high from which there is no appeal. This 'sad bereavement is to admonish us "whilst in life we are in death," and to impres us that in the discharge of our temporal duties we should by no means neglect our spiritual duties. This sad bereavement has been sent for some wise and noble purpose beyond the comprehenhension of sinful man.

Dr. Winchester was a member of the M. E. Church South, and also of the Masonic fraternity. The Dr. was a good physician, high minded and gen-tlemanly in all his dealings, a good husband, a kind father and honest man. The Dr. like the most of his profession since the war has done much charity practice and the consequence is, he leaves his wife and children badly provided for. I therefore ask the Assembly to pay the funeral expenses and not eave it for his unfortunate family to do. Mr. Parish next took the floor and

I too arise to endorse the resolutions offered by my friend from Davidson, and to add my tribute to the memory of a good man, one stricken down in the pride of manhood and amidst his less. My acquaintance with Dr. Winchester was but recently formed, but short as it was, it soon ripened into friendship, a friendship I prize and and will often recur to leasant remembrance, with those w him best and loved him most. chester was esteemed as an upright christian gentleman, in all the private walks of life, his character was ess. In his public capacity as one Representatives of Rockingham ounty, he was industrious, intelligent and faithful, and like the faithful sentinel, he died at the post of duty, which is always the post of true honor. He has gone from our midst, his seat on my is now vacant, which mutely adishes us that we too are passing away and others will soon take our places in the busy scene of life. To his afflicted wife, and tender children, one of whom is a nurseling at the breast, we warmest sympathy and eace, trusting that he who temers the wind to the shorn lamb, will tide and protect his little ones,

Mr. Staples, temporary occupant of he chair, said :

The present occupant of the chair est heartily endorses the sentiments ontained in the resolutions mor of the late Dr. Winchester: although not intimately acquainted with him. I know enough of his character for integrity and patriotism to justify

me in the declaration that, in his death, North Carolina loses a faithful public servant, his wife a devoted husband, his children a loving and tender father, and his country an honorable and efficient

Representative. I declare the resolutions to be unanimously adopted, and they will be spread upon the Journal. The clerk will prepare a copy to be attested by the Speaker of the House, and transmitted to the family of the deceased.

#### Gen W. R. Cox.

To the Editor of the News: Sin:—On yesterday Judge Watts ten-dered his resignation as Judge of the Metropolitan Judicial District to take effect Febuary 1st. It is meet that he should pass away with the final down-fall of the order of things which he helped to inaugurate. To the Governor falls the lot of choosing his successor. To find a suitable person among the many excellent lawyers in this district would be an easy matter. It is therefore proper to ask who by his services and the popular choice is most entitled among them to the appointment. I wish to write in no spirit of dietation or partiality when I say that I believe the Bar and the people of this district—indeed of the State will prefer with great unanumity to the gallant gentleman whose name heads this article. A native of Halifax county, a resident of Wake, he is a North Carolinian of North Carolinians. Eleven wounds received in the late war prove his fidelity to his State and country. Six years Solicitor of this, the largest judicial district in the State, each succeeding month added to his reputation as a lawyer and his popularity as a man, Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee during two campaigns, he led the party forth from both in triumph. As a man his integrity, as a lawyer his capacity, as a soldier his courage, as a citizen his popularity, as a party leader his success, are beyond question. They are matters of record. In whatever position he has been placed he has proven himself equal to it, and emerged from it with added honor. Such is the man and such is his record. We are satisfied that Gen. Cox does not seek the position. In the estimation of men such as he, the office should seek the man, and he would not degrade the judicial position by carrying petitions in his own favor to be signed by reluctant friends at his request. We do not even know that he will accept the

the "People's Paper," as it certainly is, if it did not faithfully express a public sentiment which is so well known and generally felt.
With W. R. Cox as Judge of the district, and a good solicitor in the place of the present encumbent, whose record will soon, as we learn, be investigated by the General Assembly, the sixth judi-cial district will indeed be "redeemed, regenerated and disenthralled.

office; but we do know that the men

women, and children of this judicial

district want General Cox as Judge of

the district. The NEWS would not be

MEMBER OF THE BAR. DALEIGH HIGH SCHOOL REV. J. M. ATKINSON, Principals.

The Exercises of this School will be resumed on MONDAY, JAN, 8th, 1877. Circulars sent on application.
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KEMP P. BATTLE.

OTIC By virtue of two mortgages on real estate, made to me by Clinton W. Williams and Gaston H. Wilder registered in Book 36, page 2,912, and Book 39, page 368, Wake Registry, I will sell at public auction at the Courthouse door in the city of Raleigh, on Tuesday, the 2d day of January, 1877, two lots of land situated near the southeastern part of said city. 2d day of January, 1877, two lots of fand struated near the southeastern part of said city, lying on the south side of the Holleman road and formerly owned by J. H. Kirkham, both containing about one-half of an acre. On one of them is a good dwelling house. They will be sold separately. Terms cash.

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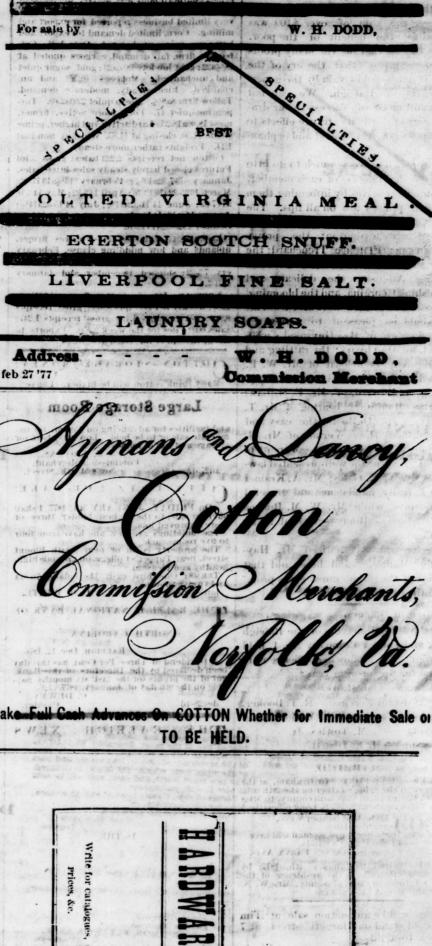
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The Squabble Over the Pacific Railroads-Time Granted to the Northern Pacific-The Oregon Electoral Muddle-Recusant and Obstinate Telegraphers.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The sub-committee of the House committee on the Pacific Railroads, have concluded their bill except as to the exact point where the San Diego branch shall reach the main line and the point of junction of the Southern Pacific, of California, and Texas Pacific. The junction will be somewhere in the coal fields of New Mexico, not, however, nearer El Parazo than one hundred miles west of that place. Details of the bill with regard to subsidy, &c., are those of the Atkins bill. Neither of the roads received any subsidy for the portions already built, but receive the same from their present termini to the point of juncture built under the construction. The present termini of the roads are: that of the Texas Pacific, Fort Worth; that of the

Southern Pacific, Fort Yuma. Grover is before the committee on privileges and elections. He maintains that he acted in accordance with the constitution and laws. He had been furnished same data upon which to base his action from gentlemen in the east. Nothing new developed.

The galleries are quite full to see what will happen to the recusant and obstinate telegraphers this afternoon.

The full railroad committee agreed to report a bill extending the time for the completion of the Northern Pacific road to 8 years. They meet to-morrow to consider the Texas Pacific Railroad upon the report of the sub-committee. The Senate has up a resolution to compel Turner, the manager of the Western Union Telegraph office at Jacksonville, Oregon, to answer the questions propounded to him by the committee on privileges and elections in regard to messages which passed through his office in reference to the count of the electoral vote of Oregon,

### FLORIDA.

Departure of the Congressional In-

vestigating Committee. JACKSONVILLE, Jan. 5.—The House investigating committee left this morn ing for Washington, via the Magnolia route and Atlantic Coast Line of Railways, and will arrive Sunday at mid-

#### FOREIGN.

The Re-Assembling of the Conference London, Jan. 5 .- The conference reassembles Monday, by which time the diplomatic hopes of Turkey may be induced to make acceptable propositions. LOUISIANA

The Republican Legislature Preparing for War.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 5.—Both Republican Houses have passed a bill reorganizing the militia, and appropriating \$200;-000 for such purposes, and making mili-The bill is now before Packard.

### NIGHT DISPATCHES.

# CONGRESSIONAL.

E. W. Barnes, the New Orleans Operator. Answers-Answer Referred-Kelly Insists on Having the Telegrams-Defends the Governor of Oregon-Is Answered by Wright of Iowa-Quite a Spirited Discussion, WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—HOUSE.—E. W. Barnes, the New Orleans manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company, was presented at the bar of the House for contempt of its privileges in disobeying subpæna requiring him to produce certain telegrams before the New Orleans investigating committees. The answer of Barnes was in the shape of a long legal argument prepared by his counsel, taking the ground, first, that the paper served on him was not a snbpœna at all. Secend, that before the service he had transmitted to the superintendent at Mobile all the business of the office from the 1st of November to the 6th of December. Third, that each, if any of the messages were in the office they were not legally in his possession, but in that of the company, and fourth, that the demand made is a variance with public policy and with constitutional rights. The whole subject was referred to the judiciary com-

No other business of importance. SENATE.—Kelly hoped the resolution regarding Turner would be adopted; there was no reason why telegraphic communications could not be made public where justice demanded it. Kelly said this witness, Turner, had unquestionably been leaky; he had disclosed something about dispatches passing through his office and now he should be made to tell the whole. He (Mr. Kelly) was very confident that no communication which passed over the wire referring to political events at Salem, Oregon, would show that anything wrong had been done. If any improper telegram had passed over the wire he (Mr. Kelly) would have known something about it He was satisfied that nothing improper could be shown; that not a dollar had been expended unlawfully and improperly. He was present at Salem at the the time and knew of all the transac tions, He was very much astonished at the vituperative assault made by the Senator from Iowa yesterday (Mr. Wright) upon the Governor of Oregon, Why that Senator took occasion to assault the Governor of Oregon on the floor of the Senate when he knew that the Governor was present and could not reply, he (Mr. Kelly) could not understand. The senator from Iowa was mistaken in his facts, mistaken in his law, and doubly mistaken as to the duties of the executive of a State. The Governor, so vilified yesterday, had been twice elected Governor of the State, and recently elected to succeed him (Mr. Kelly) in the Senate of the United States. In everything that became a man of honor, a man of principle, Gov. Grover was the peer of the senator from Iowa.

Mr. Wright, of Iowa, said it was far from his thoughts yesterday to abuse or vilify any one. He accepted the facts as he understood them, and stated his conclusions. If the facts stated by him were true, he had no word to take back. Mr. Kelly argued that the Governor of Oregon was justified in this action by decisions of the Supreme Courts of In-

diana and of Oregon.

Mr. Wright said the Governor was a mere ministerial officer, and there was no decision which authorized him to decide a judicial question. Mr. Kelly argued that the question decided by the tovernor of Oregon was not a judicial e. It was a political question, and as to the sanctity of telegraphic uspatches. Finally, the question upon the adoption of the resolution resulted, yeas 33, nays 32. No quorum. Nays: Barnum, Burnside, Eaton. Adjo to Monday. CVA JAR

LOUISIANA. Militia Enrolling—Longstreet in Com-mand—All the State Money Held for Defensive Purposes.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5 .- A New Orleans special to the Herald dated January 4th, says the Republicans are enrelling militia daily and General Longstreet, who arrived yesterday, will be in command. An executive order has been issued on the State Treasury to pay no more money out of the internal, school and general funds, all present funds win held subject to order for defensive purposes. No forcible opposition will be made to prevent Nicholls' inauguration but all the State offices are strongly guarded by the police and will be defended from any attempt to take possession.

WASHINGTON.

(abinet Session—A Republican to De-nounce Returning Boardism—Gro-ver's Examination—Nominations.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—An hour and half cabinet session was held to-day. business. Routine

Routine business.

The Star says: "Congressman Purman, of Florida, (Republican) is preparing a speech on the recent election in the State he represents. Purman is a Republican but will denounce the action of the returning board it is said.

The examination of Gov. Grover will

be continued to morrow. It will be confined mainly to legar points.

Nominations: George W. Patton. marshal of West Virginia; William S. Mayfield, collector of customs of St Mary's district, Georgia; W. T. Cole, postmaster at Grenada Mississippi.

Testimony in the Louisiana Election Case.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 5 .- The Senate sub-committee heard the testimony of Lieut. Geo. Ach, of the 3rd infantry, in relation to the election in East Baton Rouge, whose general testimony was to the effect that it was fair and peaceable. He saw no disturbance on the day of election. Or teat day the deputy U. S. Marshal, McAlpine, comp'ained that he had been excluded from the polls by the Baton Rouge police. On investi-gation it was found that McAlpine had not informed them of his official position until after he had been.

Cotton Brokers' Circular. LIVERPOOL, Jan. 5.-The Liverpool cotton brokers' association says the cotton market was very firm on Friday and re-opened, after the holidays, with animation. A very extensive business has been done at advanced prices. American has been in very extensive demand, prices advancing sto a far-thing. Business in sea island has been moderate, but prices are at extreme rates. In futures, transactions continue large with considerable fluctu-

What Hendricks Says in His Message INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 5.-Gov. Hendricks' message relates wholly to State ffairs with the exception of a reference to the presence of United States troops in South Carolina, saying that the con-stitutional and independent authority of State courts and Legislatures is endangered if not now supported by a patriotic and liberty-loving sentiment so strong among the people that party and partisans dare not defy it.

Israelites Amenable to State Laws Re-

garding Sunday. Boston, Mass., Jan. 5.—The Supreme Court of Massachusetts has sustained the lower court in the decision that Israelites must be held amenable to the laws of the State regulating the observance of the Sabbath. The case grew out of an attempt to keep a store open on that day.

Gov. Hampton Says Mackey Misrep-resented Him.

COLUMBIA, Jan. 5.—Gen. Hampton said to-day, relative to Judge Mackey's interview with Gov. Hayes, that Mackey was not authorized to speak for him or the Democracy of South Carolina. He believes Tilden fairly elected, and the people desire a peaceful and consti-tutional solution of the question.

Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 .- For the South Atlantic States, falling barometer, in-creasing northeast to southeast winds, warmer, threatening and rainy weather will prevail.

\$30,000 Stolen by New York Thieves, PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 5.—The money obtained from the banks on checks sto len from the mails from this city, by the New York gang, will reach \$30,000. Advice Gratis.

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die, greeted the young ladies and gen-tlemen who so kindly consented to re-

expenses the sum of over \$100 was realized for the benefit of the poor. This is but another of the many pro eretofore given, that the cry of the needy is not heard in vain by the generous hearts of Raleigh. We can but wish a full meed of success to our dramatic corps in all its future efforts to hush the sob of widowhood and orphan-

We would like very much to go in to detail on the talents of each member, but content ourselves by informing them that their praises are on all lips. The Cately, Hall and or

Mrs. Mountchessington; the pretty lovely an winning Augusta; the delicate and a

It would be pleasant to will the

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isp and sneeze of Mr. Havwood's wellacted Lord Dundreary; the rattling and dashing Asa Trenchard of Mr. W. P. Batchelow the dignified and schols looking Sir Edward, of Mr. F. G. Law; the graceful military bearing of Mr. T. T. Hays' Capt. DeBoots, the easy and accomplished Harry Verno of Mr. G. W. Smith. The excellent in recent of Mr.C. P. Brown; the well-presented law-yer of Mr. W. R. Gales; Mr. A. Kramer made a really handsome and graceful Buddicombe, while Mr. W. M. Bushes was immense as Binny—graceful a sold stager.

old stager. We have already noticed Mr. Hay-wood's "Maniac," and here add that his idea of the tragic muse gives prom ise of the coming the delian

Election of Officers. At the annual meeting of the Raleigh Hook and Lawler Company No. 1, hald last night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Foreman-T. L. Love. 1st Assistant Foreman-R. T. Booker. 2d Ass't Foreman-F. Marion King. Secretary-J. M. Towles, Jr. Treasurer-H. E. Heartt.

MARKIED. CHEEK—CRAWFORD.—In Graham, at the residence of the bride's father on the 28th ult., Capt. C. C. CHEEK, of Chatham county, to Miss EMMA CRAWFORD, Rev. W. S. Long officiating. Long let the Hymenial banner wave, O'er our benighted land, And soon the influence of woman will save Our land from tyrant's hands. PARVA AVIS.

HARP-PARKER. Vanuary 4th, 1877, by Rev. J. K. Howell, at the residence of the bride's father in Wake county, Mr. W. N. HARP and Miss A. A. PARKER.

There will be an auction sale at Tim Lee's old stand on Hargett street at 7 clock to-night.

Much valuable time is saved by promptly treating cold at its first appearance. Nothing takes the place of Bull's Syrup for coughs, colds, irritation of the cold.

COMMERCIAL REPORT. COTTON.

Reported by J. J. THOMAS. RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 5, 1877.
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General Merchandise. WHOLESALE CASH PRICES. Corrected by POOL & MORING. By appointment from Board of Trade. COTTON TIES, new, 7½ cents. old, 5 BAGGING, 2½ lbs. to yard, 14.

BAGGING, 2¼ lbs. to yard, 14. CORN, 65. CORN MEAL, 65. FLOUR, family, North Carolina, \$6.00. extra, 5.75. MEAT, Clear Rib Bulk Sides, 10a10¼. LARD, Western, 13. COFFEE, kio, 20, 2334a25. SUGAR, white, 1234a14. yellow, 1054a12¼. SALT, Liverpool, fine, \$2.00. LEATHER, ked Sole, 25a28. BUTTER, N. C., 25a20. BEESWAX, 20a25. EGGS, per dozen, 25 cents.

Telegraphic Market Report OA NOON.

LONDON, Jan. 5—Formols 14 11-16; 1516 92; street rate 1% which is % per cent. below

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 5—Cotton buoyant; mid. 20,000 bales; speculation and expert 4,000 1 180 and low middling clause. February and March delivery 63 1-32; March and April 71-16; April and May 7%; May and June 73-16; June and July 77-32a7/4; shipped December sail 7; December and January 134 Feb ruary 7 1-16a7 3-32; February and March 7 3-16;

sales for the week 91,000.
2:00 P. M.—Uplands and low middling clause shipped December and January sail 7. Bread-stuffs dull; new mixed western corn 25 and 9; old 2 an 19. American lard 53. 3:20 P. M -Sales of American cotton 11,200

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Gold opened at 634. Stocks dull and lower. Money 7. Gold 6%. Exchange, long 4841/4; short 4861/4. Governments dull and lower. State bonds Cotton strong, asking higher; sales 1,200

bales; uplands 121/4; orleans 131/4. Futures opened firmer, January 131-16a1314; dull 2.50a2.60 for strained. Freights heavy. BALTIMORE, Jan. 5.-Flour strong, higher; Howard street and western superfine \$4.75a 5.20; extra 5.50a6.25; family 6.50a7.50; city mills superfine 4.75a5.25; extra 5.75a7.25; rio brands 8.00; family 9.25. Wheat scarce but firmer and higher, Pennsylvania red 1.55a1.00; Maryland red, prime 1.55a1.60; white 1.50a1.60. Southern corn scarce but firmer, western weak and lower, new Southern white and pettor and

NIGHT. w York, Jan. 5. Money dull. 1 ing firm 41% Gold weak 6666%. Gov tes quiet and nominal.
Letton strate, sale 1,556 bales at 13a133-16.
celpts of the week, net 8,286 bales; gross
to Great Britain 7,895
les; Continent 110 bales; sales 5,016 bales
lex 254,656 bales.

rice; Southern four less active, unchanged.
Theat dull, elightly in buyer's favor, only
ery limited business reported for export and
alling. Corn, fimited demand for export and ee, rie, firm, fair demand, cargoes quoted at 104,212; 341 job lots 181/223; gold sugar quiet and unchanged. Molasses quiet and unchanged. Kice steady, moderate demand. Tallow firm 8281/4. Rosin quiet 2.5022.60. Turpentine quiet 47. Pork more active, firmer, ness 18.00a18.25. Lard active and higher, prim steam 11.50, closing at 11.65. Whiskey nominal 1.14. Freights rather more steady.

Cotton net receipts 2,223 bales; gross 5.164 Futures closed barely steady sales 40,000 bales, January 137-32a1314; February 1314a1317-32 March 1325-32a1813-16; April 143-32; May 143-16 s147-32; June 14 11-32a14%; July 14 15-32a14%; August 149-16a14 19-35, September 141/a145-32; October 1525-32a13 15-16.

layercon, Jan 5-5;15.—Futures firmer, plands and low middling clause, February of Barch delivery 7; March and April delivery 73-32; shipped December and January

Great Britain 11,164; constwine 10,584 OTTON-STORAGE-MONEY

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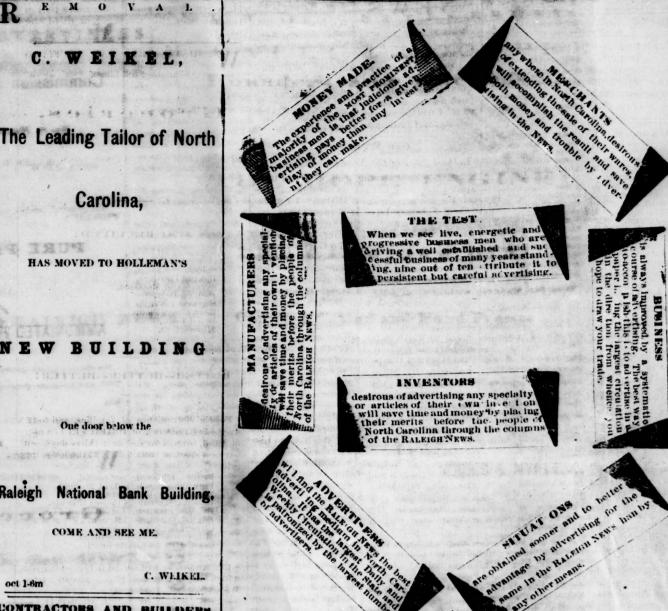
JOHN DEVEREUX, WALTER CLARK,
Commissioners. Dec. 5-daw td Roamoke News copy.

HANGE OF SCEDUL OFFICE SUP'T OF TRANSPORTATION, SEABOARD & ROANOKE KAILROAD (O., PORTSMOUTH, VA., Sept. 14, 1875.) On and after WEDNESDAY, the 15th inst. trains will leave Portsmouth, daily, except Sundays, as follows: Sundays, and Mail train at No. 1 Freight train at No. 2 Freight train, except Satur-

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